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SUBJECT: EC COMMISSIONER'S AID SCHEME TO ASSIST LDC'S

REF: (A) MANILA 3941, (B) EC BRUSSELS 1263, (C) EC BRUSSELS 2543

EC COMMISSIONER CHEYSSON HAS BEEN PUSHING FOR SOME TIME THE IDEA OF A NEW PROGRAM OF MASSIVE ASSISTANCE TO UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES AND ARGUING THAT SUCH A "MARSHALL PLAN" FOR THE LDC'S WOULD BE ONE WAY OF ENCOURAGING ECONOMIC REVIVAL WITHIN THE INDUSTRIALIZED NATIONS. HE HAS SUPPORT FOR THIS IDEA AMONG SOME OF THE COMMISSION STAFF AND SOME OTHER COMMISSIONERS, INCLUDING COMMISSION PRESIDENT JENKINS. VARIOUS FIGURES HAVE BEEN MENTIONED, FROM \$8 BILLION TO \$15 BILLION, THE LATTER WAS QUOTED IN A REPORT IN THE BRUSSELS LE SOIR OF MARCH 18 (COPIES BEING SENT TO MANILA AND EUR/RPE MCLEAN). CHEYSSON AND OTHERS HAVE INFORMALLY MENTIONED THIS IDEA TO SOME US OFFICIALS (REF B). THE COMMISSION ITSELF HAS MADE NO DECISION ON SUCH A MASSIVE PROGRAM. MANY IN THE EC CONSIDER THE IDEA OVERLY AMBITIOUS, HOWEVER, IN THE CIEC CONTEXT, THE COM-
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MISSION HAS PROPOSED TO THE EC COUNCIL A ONE-SHOT IMMEDIATE ACTION ADDITIONAL AID PROGRAM FOR THE POORER LDC'S WHICH CALLS FOR AN EC CONTRIBUTION OF ABOUT \$1 BILLION OVER A THREE-YEAR PERIOD (REF C). WE ARE REPEATING REFS B AND C TO MANILA. HINTON

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